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BUSINESS BAROMETER.

General Prosperity Gradually Aronsing Itself.

New York, June 25 .- R. G. Dun & Company's Weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will say: There is no step backward in business, although the sea son of midsummer quiet is near. Improvement continues, gradual and prudently cautious, as before, although in many branches evident where no signs of it appeared a few weeks ago. Business men of the highest standing in all parts of the country having gradually per ceived that the tide has begun to rise, are regulating their contracts and investments and their plans for the future with a confidence quite unknown to them a short time ago. Great changes before the adjournment of Congress are hardly to be expected, but removal of uncertainly is with reason expected to bring into operation buy ing which has been restricted

The main factor at this time is the steadily brightening prospect for crops. Harvesting of wheat has already begun in some winter wheat States with surprisingly good results in the central region and California, so that 80,000 tons is now called the minimum of the latter estimate. Spring wheat is do- of he was estamped near Bay and Atlantic exports of only 1,445,947 bushels, flour included against 1,713,961 last year, ENCYCLOPEDIC ORATORY. but it is just the season when figures have no value except as proving how erroneous were estimates of the crop of 1896.

Cotton was lifted an eighth without reason and has fallen back as much because every thing points to a large crop than has been commonly ex-

Iron and steel products aver aged a small fraction lower in published quotations, but only because concession which are now refused were by various authorities complacently concealed two weeks ago.

Iron is firm with a better de mand at the East and Chicago but the impatience of valley furnaces to resume work keeps Bessemer and gray forge at last week's quotations at Pitts-

The best of the news is a material increase in orders for day oration he paused and took plates in part for ship building, in bars for agricultural im- dry." "You mean he was very plement works, in structural thirsty." "Yes, he was thirsty shapes for building and bridges too."-Chicago Tribune. and in galvanized sheets. One heavy contract for 300 miles 30-inch and 100 miles 10-inch and I deliberately ran over trade, The ore producing Plain Dealer,

companies are cutting prices of STARVING IN Messaba, Bessemer, Fayal, to \$6 10, apparently in order to secure the biggest possible business for the year as a basis for future combination. Tin has only advanced to 14c, in spite of heavy arrivals. One thousand two hundred tons of lead have been sold, moderate quantities now bringing \$3,421 and purchases advanced Lake copper to 11 1-8c.

There is an encouraging increase in the demand for all textile goods, even for cottons, and though it is but moderate, of distress. there is nothing of a speculative character in the transactions and prices are firmly held. Orders for wool have been rather better than expected from clothiers and fairly good for dress goods. Operations in spring goods are still deferred, while mills are somewhat better employed and re buying to some extent. Mest of the purchases of wool are for speculation. Domestic wool is still held at relatively high prices at the West.

Failures for the week have been 216 in the United States, had no authority to spend ton Cuban club." against 217 last year, and 24 in Canada, against 24 last year.

POSITION OF GOMEZ. cial to the Herald from Havana repute calculate on 60,000,000 west of the Jucaro Moron trocha bushels beyond the government and when Gareia was last heard ing remarkably well with a amo. In the meantime in the practically unknown increase "pacified" provinces the rebels of acreage. The prices have ad- are still in evidence. Castillo vanced 1 1-2d during the week had a skirmish with a Spanish with a decrease of 1,200,000 column on June 18. The Spanbushels in Western receipts lards were routed and lost thirty-three men and four offi-

Austin Statesman.

Mr. McKinley, in his speech at Nashville, fell into the common error of gentlemen visiting the South to orate to its people. They come down South cram med with the State statistics; obtained from an encyclopedia and proceed to give us facts and figures in regard to our resources and development. We have encyclopedias, and perhaps more practical information than can be obtained from such books, and we know all they tell us before they come. What was the use of Mr. Mc-Kinley unloading statistics in regard to Tennessee to an audience of Tennesseans, who knew more than, he did about

"Several times during the delivery of his commencement a drink of water. He was very

came rushing in front of me

GUATEMALA:

This Government Cannot Help One of Its Citizens.

Washington, June 25 .-From Central America cames news of one of those pitiful cases that at short intervals are brought to the attention of the State Department, where our great Government is shown to be utterly unable to help in the slightest degree which have so long been slow, its citizens when in the depths ROYAL BARIFG POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

writes from Livingston, Guate cognizing the belligerent rights mala, praying the Secretary of of the Cuban people in their State for help. He says he is struggle to free themselves an American citizen, having from the yoke of Spanish mislived in San Francisco for it rule. The passage of this years, and has proofs of good measure will be in the interest character. Going to Salvador of justice and humanity." to erect machinery, he has This is signed by all of the suffered the most miserable members of the club, and is hardships through sickness, reinforced by the following: wounds and starvation.

lief of destitute Americans bune. abroad, such as the British service provides.

A RUSSIAN PROTEST.

London, June 25 .- The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Morning Post says the Novoe Vremya has protested vigorously against the action of the United States as to Hawaii, which, it adds, may soon be followed by an attempt to annex Cuba.

"Europe," says the Novoe thing to eat. Vremya, "has every reason to oppose the strengthening of the United States In the new world, and must be ready to famous Kentucky feud by an support Spain if she is threatened with the loss of Cuba."

FOR CUBA LIBRE.

Petition to Congressman Haw ley to Support the Belligerent Resolution

Senor Luis Penes, and the local Cuban club, of which John Manes is president, are circulating a petition to Congressman Hawley, as follows:

"Galveston, Tex., June 24, -To the Hon R. B. Hawley, House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.; Sir-We, Ambiguous: "Yes, a cur the undersigned, officers and members of the Galveston Cu-Modern conveniences; cuisine a spe. pipe sought by the Australian him." "Poor doggie." "Why ban club, would respectfully do you say that?" "Because request your earnest assisexcities many hopes in the my sympathies are always with tance and support of the measure to be introduced in the



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James William Scandrett house of representatives, re-

"We, the undersigned, citi-Appeal for help to the zens of the county of Galves-American Consul were with ton, Texas, indorse the atout avail, because the official tached petition of the Galves-

money to ship the man to This indorsement is numer-New Orleans. He says the ously signed by people in all British Consul would have walks of life, showing the New York, June 25 .- A spe- sent him home had he been widespread sympathy and inan Englishman, and he prays terest in the Cuban cause State and the statisticians of says: General Gomez is still the Secretary for relief lest he which exists here. Senor Pedie of hardships, as the Consul nes, who has the matter in says there is, unfortunately, charge, will forward the petino fund at the disposal of the tion to Mr. Hawley tomorrow State Department for the re- or next day. - Galveston Tri-

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